RETUR	AKAROA.	Auckland.	Arrowtown.	ASHBURTON.	BLENHEIM.	CHARLESTON.	CHRISTCHURCH.	COROMANDEL.	Cromwell.
1. What is the township and district benefited by the				Borough and County of Ash-		Charleston, and district be-	The whole of the Provincial	Coromandel Town and	Cromwell and Cromwell
hospital?	roa	land	kituki, Cardona, and Shot- over Ridings	burton	District of Marlborough, excluding Picton	tween the Totara River and Razorback	District of Canterbury, from the Hurunui to the Rakaia	County	District, comprising Nevis, Clutha, Hawea, Lindis Ridings, and Counties of Vincent and Southland 2,500
2. What are their respective populations?3. What is the character of the hospital — whether	3,727 and 613; total, 4,340 General		1,200	County, 7,158; borough, 1,522 General	5,000 General district,	General: for males only			General
general, lying-in, or other form of special hospital? 4. Was the present building built for a hospital?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No		Yes	No	$egin{array}{c} \mathbf{Yes} \\ \mathbf{About} \ \pounds2,000 \end{array}$
 5. What was its cost? 6. How many years has it been established? 7. What is the number of the Board of Management? 		£25,000 4 years	2 years	£7,889 6s. 7d June, 1880 Ashburton County Council	$3\frac{1}{2}$ years	15 years	20 years 9	8 years	7 years 18
8. How are its members elected or appointed?		···	Elected by subscribers of £1	Ditto	By Blenheim Borough Coun-	Annually by subscribers		Elected by subscribers	Elected by contributors
9. State the name of each member of the Board, and indicate president, treasurer, secretary, &c.	Managed by the Christ- church Hospital and Charitable Aid Board	•••	Messrs. J. Barlow, E. Sandford, J. T. Healy, J. McDonnell, P. Butel, D. Enright, C. Johnston, R. Pritchard, W. Jenkins, H. Graham, R. D. Fuchs, E. J. Foord, G. Laffranchie, L. Rester, A. C. Thomason, W. Scoles; first three, president, treasurer, and secretary respectively	Chairman and Councillors	wood, J. H. Redwood, and J. E. Hodson, secretary	G. Patterson, W. Henry, A. King, B. Shepherd, R. Birch, T. Butterworth, M. O'Sullivan, J. P. Mitchell, W. Brown, and T. J. O'Leary	Mayors of Christchurch, Sydenham, and Lyttelton, W. Montgomery, M.H.R., Drs. Prins and Turnbull, J. G. Hawkes, and E. C. J. Stevens	President, R. F. Luks; treasurer, J. Gilmour; Messrs. J. Vaughan, C. McFarlane, J. Barrett, F. Brodie, S. James, J. Brenmer, F. H. Blackmore, L. W. Edwards, and W. Horne	President, J. Dankins; vice- president, J. Scott; trea- surer, C. E. Gudgeon; sec- retary, J. Marshall; and 14 others
10. How are the secretary and treasurer paid—by commission or salary; and how much?			Secretary, £20 per annum; treasurer, nil		~	Secretary, £10 per annum; treasurer, honorary	A1 0	Secretary (only), £12 per annum	Honorary 20 acres
11. How much land has the hospital?12. State the number of sleeping-wards for males	About ½ acre	11 acres, including "Refuge" garden	1	10	1 acre	1	3	3 acres	20 acres
13. State the height, width, and length of each (internal measurement), and the number of beds it contains	Contains 4 beds	Wards Nos. 1, 2, and 3— 16 ft. x 73 ft. 9 in. x 24 ft. each; 20 beds in each ward. Accident ward—16 ft. x 29 ft. 9 in. x 16 ft.; 6 beds. Fever ward—16 ft. x 29 ft. 10 in. x 25 ft.; 8 beds	30 ft. x 14 ft. x 12 ft.; 5 beds as a rule, occasionally 8	7 wards 14ft. x 11 ft. 6 in. x 9 ft. 6 in.; 2 wards 14ft. x 13ft. 6 in. x 11 ft. 6 in; and 1 ward 18ft. x 21ft. x 26ft. 26 beds	Shape irregular; No. 1 contains 4,446, No. 2 3,420, No. 3 300 cubic feet	20 ft. x 20 ft. 6 in. x 31 ft.; 8 beds	Height, 14½ ft. to easing, 20 ft. to ceiling; width, 25 ft.; length, 67½ ft.; number of beds, 24 each. Attached to each ward is a small room 11 ft. x 8 ft. x 13 ft. containing 1 bed	6 beds; No. 2—18 ft. x 15 ft. x 9 ft., 6 beds; No. 3—11 ft. x 10 ft. x 6 ft.,	No. 1—27 ft. x 14 ft. x 13 ft., 5 beds; No. 2—11 ft. x 11 ft. x 13 ft., 2 beds
14. State the number of sleeping-wards for females15. State the height, width, and length of each (internal measurement), and the number of beds it contains	Contains 4 beds	2	1 16ft. x 14ft. x 12ft.; 4 beds	2 2 ft. 12 in. x 18 ft. x 18 ft.	Contains 3,000 cubic feet		No. 1, 12 ft. x 20 ft. x 70 ft.; No. 2, 7 ft. to easing, 20 ft. to ceiling, 20 ft. wide, 70 ft. long. Beds in No. 1, 17; in No. 2, 18	 	1 19 ft. x 14 ft. x 13 ft., 3 beds
16. State the total number of beds in the hospital 17. State average of male in-patients daily	8	98 80·190	12 Nearly 1·46	6 2 a week	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	8	110	14 1	$egin{array}{c} 10 \ 2rac{1}{3} \end{array}$
 State average of female in-patients daily State number of patients received during the year who would have been more suitable for a benevo- lent asylum 		20·108	Nearly 0.9		13:5		About 80 Males, 462; females, 152:	1	16 51
 20. State the total number of in-patients received during the year 21. State the total number of out-patients who attended 		Out-patients not supposed to	50				total, 614 861	177	4
during the year 22. State the name and qualifications, and date of appointment, of the medical officer		attend T.M. Philson, M.D.,L.R.C.S., 1st June, 1859			L.A.S., appointed 24th July.	L.R.C.P.S. Edin., 25th Au-	R. B. Robinson, L.K. and Q.C.P., 30th November,	C. H. Hovell, M.R.C.S. Eng.	C. A. Stackpoole, L.R.C.S., L.S.A., 1st July, 1878
23 State his colory	£100 per annum	£400 per annum	July, 1880 £250 per annum	2nd July, 1880 £150 per annum	1878 £50 per annum	gust, 1878 £150 per annum	1881 £250 per annum	£120 per annum	£250 per annum
24. State if he is resident or non-resident 25. State the names and qualifications of honorary medical officers	Non-resident	Non-resident None	Non-resident	Non-resident	Non-resident	Non-resident	Resident J. D. Frankish, M.D., F. G. M. Brittain, M.R.C.S. Eng., C. Nedwill, M.D., C. M. Anderson, M.R.C.S. Eng., H. H. Prins, M.R.C.S.	Non-resident	Non-resident T. Leahy, M.D., Dublin
26. State the name, date of appointment, and salary of		C. A. Cooper, 15th June, 1877; £200	•••	**2	Fr. L. K. Horne, 1st Jan.,		Eng. L. Hawkes, 1st March, 1880; £120 per annum		Medical officer
the dispenser 27. State the name, date of appointment, and salary of the house steward 28. State the name, date of appointment, and salary of the matron	(pointed 28th July, 1881;)	John Bryce, 1st July, 1880; £100 Kate Bryce, 12th January, 1881; £60	Husband and wife (Garland), matron and wardsman;	W. and Rose Maddern, 8th May, 1880; £150 per annum	Mr. and Mrs. G. Ward, (1878; £100 per annum, conjointly	Cato Dickenson; £78 per annum	R.T. Bell, 1st October, 1879; £200 per annum Housekeeper appointed 1st Jan., 1882; £60 per annum		Charles King 1st February, Mrs. King 1880, £100
29. State the number of male nurses, and the pay of each	1	2 day nurses and 1 night	£100 per annum	•••			1 assistant nurse and cleaner, £30 per annum	1 at 15s. per week	
30. State the number of female nurses, and the pay of each		nurse, each at £60 per ann. 1 day nurse and 1 night nurse, each at £50 per ann.					3 day and night nurses at £45 per annum each, 2 assistant nurses and cleaners at £30 per annum each		 *
31. State what other officers or servants there are besides the above, and the wages of each		Cook at £60, engineer at £60, messenger at £12		1 servant at £35 per annum.	L. K. Horne, consulting medical officer, £25 per annum; female servant, 12s. per week		1 wardsman and dresser, £100; 1 porter, £52; 1 gatekeeper, £39; 1 cook, £80; 1 kitchen boy, £18; 1 laundry maid, £40; 1 as- sistant laundry maid, £35; 2 housemaids, each £25; 1 carpenter, 42s. per week		***
Receipts and Expenditure. 32. How much of the year's income was raised by sub-	£ s. d.	£ s. d. 1 1 0	£ s. d. 313 17 5	£ s. d.	£ s. d. 23 1 3	£ s. d. 181 10 6	£ s. đ.	£ s. d. 70 15 0	£ s. d. 317 3 6
scriptions and donations? 33. How much of the year's income was received from or		470 6 8	60 0 0	65 12 6	27 12 0	37 10 0	498 2 11		145 16 0
on account of patients? 34. How much of the year's income was contributed by Government?	344 19 9	1	294 1 0	725 0 0	159 1 10	288 12 2	3,898 1 10	20 14 6	326 14 6
35. How much of the year's income was contributed by Rorough Council?	•					234 10 8	•••		
36. How much of the year's income was contributed by County Council?37. How much of the year's income was derived from		1,123 15 0	100 0 0	2,038 9 9		234 10 8			
rents or other revenue from endowments?		11 2 5*	(95 17 6† 0 16 6‡		32 8 6\$ } 29 7 0 }			38 18 8¶ 29 0 7**	8 10 0 †† 6 18 0‡‡
any other source (specify what)? 39. What was the total year's income?	360 14 9	1,606 5 1	864 12 5	2,829 2 3	271 10 7	742 3 4	4,396 4 9	159 8 9	805 2 0
40. What was the cost for provisions, exclusive of wine,	117 6 4	1,205 13 7	110 3 3	105 3 4	205 8 10	75 16 5	1,350 12 7	39 3 9	146 7 2
beer, and spirits? 41. What was the cost of wine, beer, and spirits?		235 1 0	21 13 7	36 14 0	29 3 6	0 12 0	229 16 7		3 16 0
42. ,, ,, drugs and dispensary? 43. ,, surgical inst'm'ts and appliances	1	57 1 11 166 16 10	21 13 7 30 10 9	37 14 10 8 15 6 162 2 8	34 0 0 30 1 5	24 9 2 20 10 0	407 13 8 479 10 9	··· ···	23 6 6 41 12 1 29 6 0
45. , , , linen and bedding? 46. , furniture, earthenware, &c.?	 	158 12 2 23 7 8	50 10 9 	28 7 6 533 13 0	16 13 10 8 3 4	11 3 7 0 19 6	240 1 2		11 12 3 14 14 4
47. ", washing and laundry? 48. ", salaries and wages?	200 12 4	276 19 6 1,247 0 0	376 Ö O	11 3 6 223 1 0	224 12 0	243 0 0	1,155 6 10	3 5 6 115 10 0	358 10 0
49. ", ", water-supply? 50. ", ", funerals? 51. ", " repairs? 52. ", " printing, advertising, stationers, and postage?		84 0 0 71 18 6 177 12 11 10 4 6	20 1 6 14 0 0	3 5 0 871 15 9 	5 0 0 1 4 6 	4 17 6 11 16 6 	31 10 0 295 19 0 33 6 11	 0 17 2 0 12 4	3 0 0 5 0 0 35 12 0 8 1 0
53. Payments for interest 54. ,, insurance	1	 	2 10 0	19 12 0 60 5 6	2 3 6	4 0 0	:::		2 9 6 5 5 0
55. ", commission 56. Other expenses not included in the above	10 7 0	13 3 10	52 9 4	1 18 8	5 5 9	6 9 0	172 7 3		\$ 5 0 3 0 0§§ 13 6 7
57. Total expenditure for the year	360 14 9	3,727 12 5	627 8 5	2,103 12 3	561 16 8	403 13 8	4,396 4 9	159 8 9	704 18 5
58. The contract price during the year of bread for the	3½d	2 ³ / ₈ d	3½d	6d	3½d	3½d	From 13d. to 3d	3½d	4d.
2-lb. loaf 59. The contract price during the year of meat per pound 60. The contract price during the year of milk per gallon 61. The contract price during the year of any other important item calculated to materially affect the	4d 1s	$egin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$		4\frac{1}{2}d. to 2\frac{1}{2}d	3½d. to 2½d 1s	6d 1s. 8d	_	5d 1s. 8d	3½d. 6d. Coals per ton, 19s. 6d.
current expenditure 62. How many patients paid for their treatment and maintenance in the hospital?	7	177	1	46		11			32
63. How much were they charged a week? * Funerals. + In ban		From 3s. 6d. to £2 2s		`			£1 1s Interest on deposit.	11 Rents.	From £1 5s. to £2 §§ Rates.